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OUTLINES.

In Collier's Weekly for July 18 there will appear an article by William J. Bryan on "My Conception of the Presidency." He states what he considers to be the President's duties and responsibilities and wherein he is relieved of responsibility by the duties imposed on the officials in the co-ordinate branches of the Government——The Olympic games were begun in London yesterday. Twenty-one nations are represented by athletes. Rain interfered somewhat at the beginning and caused the crowd to be less than it otherwise would have been. The Americans will protest against the eligibility of the Canadian runner Longboat, but will submit if the decision is against them——Captain Dunn, of the British steamship Strathyre, denies that the Chinese who tried to escape from his vessel in New York, had been ill treated or under-fed. He says they shipped at Shanghai for a round-trip to the United States and he thinks it was with the intention of gaining passage to this country——The application for a jury trial in the Thaw case has been continued until the September term and in the meantime the prisoner will remain in Duchess county jail——Among Mr. Bryan's visitors yesterday were Samuel Gompers and John W. Kern. The former pledged Mr. Bryan his support. Among the visitors was Mr. Jackson, chairman of the Indiana Central Committee, who declared his State would give Mr. Bryan 10,000 majority——The Chinese sailors who tried to escape from the British steamer in New York harbor, will be sent to Liverpool on the Lusitania——The Ohio State Prohibition convention was in session yesterday. The National Convention meets tomorrow. Governor Glenn is one of the persons spoken of as candidate for president——New York markets: Spot cotton 10 points lower, middling uplands 11.10, middling gulf 11.35. Money on call easy, 1 to 1 1-2 per cent, ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered at 1 1-4, time loans stronger, but dull. Flour quiet with prices firm. Wheat strong, No. 2 red 99 1-2 to 101 elevator, options 2c higher. Corn steady, No. 2, 82 1-8 nominal elevator, options net unchanged. Oats strong, mixed 57 to 58. Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet 41.

If the Democratic editors could elect Mr. Bryan his election would be unanimous.

Political lightning is the only kind that ever strikes three times in the same place.

The platform shows that Mr. Bryan is not as headstrong as he was twelve and eight years ago.

Bryan is now the Democratic nominee for President and it behooves all Democrats to stand by him.

That was the unkindest cut of all—the remark by a delegate to the Denver convention about Judge Parker's "defeat by acclamation."

Mr. Kern is not well known in this part of the country; but that makes no difference. He snows up with mighty good sponsors.

How quick the candidates for the State officers stopped boasting about their past services to the party and their love for the dear people. What a relief it is.

If the Republicans in this State are banking on the "independence" talk, they heard before the conventions they are going to be greatly surprised when the ballots are counted.

"Many of the jokes on Kitchin of North Carolina are of the limp dishrag variety," says the Atlanta Constitution. Then they differ greatly in character from their subject.

The injunction plank in the Democratic National platform seems to be satisfactory to Mr. Gompers. The question is, however, will it please the people he represents?

Mr. Bryan surely is more conservative in his political views than formerly, to judge from the Denver platform and the fact that he is not now radical enough to suit the Populists.

We do not suppose the Democracy of the State will this year have to swap any of its Presidential electors off for some of those of Watson or Debs or Preston. The Democrats are too sure of success this time.

As a means of putting an end to Mr. Hobson's everlasting harping on the prospects of war, the New York Tribune suggests that he be given a few matches and some sulphur and be permitted to have a little gehenna all by himself.

It was a gratification to the people of Wilmington to learn a few days ago that Mr. John B. Munson had been elected vice president and general manager of the Georgia Southern and Florida Railroad. It delights Wilmington to see one of her sons so rapidly promoted in his chosen field of work as Mr. Munson has been.

MILITARY MOVEMENT

Second Regiment ... Carolina National Guard, Go For Chicamauga Maneuvers.

THE STATE NAVAL BRIGADE

Embark on U. S. S. Prairie at Morehead City Thursday For Practice Cruise in Chesapeake. Wilmington Division.

There will be quite a movement of the armed military forces of North Carolina this week. The movement of the Second Regiment, North Carolina Guard, to Chicamauga for the ten days' practice maneuvers with the regulars on that great battlefield began yesterday through the State, and tomorrow the North Carolina Naval Brigade will begin moving to Morehead City where they will embark on the U. S. S. Prairie for Chesapeake Bay for a ten days cruise and practice.

Lieutenant Colonel J. VanB. Metts, Lieutenant Edwin A. Metts and Regimental Commissary W. P. Monroe, of Wilmington, left yesterday to join the regiment on its way through to Chicamauga at Fayetteville, where there was a mobilization of the Third Battalion of the Second Regiment, under command of Major W. C. Rodman, of Washington. The battalion consisted of the Washington Light Infantry, Captain Wynne; the Sampson Light Infantry, Captain C. M. Faircloth; the Lumber Bridge Light Infantry, Captain John Malloy, and the Fayetteville Light Infantry, Captain N. H. McGeachy. They took an Atlantic Coast Line special at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon for the scene of the maneuvers.

On the recommendation of the Advisory Board of the State military all companies of the First and Third Regiments that took part in the Fort Caswell exercises have been excused from attendance at the encampment at Camp Glenn near Morehead City in July and August.

The Wilmington Light Infantry was excused some time ago and now it is learned that the order has been made to apply to all the companies of the Second Regiment ordered to Chicamauga.

Cruise of Naval Reserves.

Senior Lieutenant John B. Peschau commanding the Wilmington Division, Naval Reserves, has received orders with regard to the practice cruise on the United States Steamer Prairie in Chesapeake Bay and the division will leave tomorrow afternoon over the Newbern railroad for Morehead City where the Brigade will mobolize. On Thursday the sailors will leave on the Prairie, which is an auxiliary cruiser of the United States Navy, now bound from New York for Morehead to receive the Reserves. The cruise will last seven or eight days. Lieutenant Peschau expects to carry the required number of men. Lieutenant Junior Grade Cuthbert Martin and Ensign J. M. Murphy will be the commissioned officers accompanying him.

COMMISSIONERS MEET.

In Session Yesterday as Board of Equalization—Lists Received.

The Board of County Commissioners was in session yesterday afternoon as a Board of Equalization to receive from the various township listers their returns from the listing during the month of June, to allow those who had neglected to do so within the prescribed time an opportunity for listing their taxables and to hear any complains that might be made as to erroneous listing, etc. Members present were Chairman McEachern and Commissioners Robertson, Divine and Alexander, and Mr. John Haar, register of deeds and clerk ex officio. Returns were made by Gerritt Walker, Harnett township; J. A. Biddle, Federal Point; B. S. Montford, Masonboro, and J. Herbert Johnson, Cape Fear township. The Wilmington lister as usual was granted further time. There were no complaints but a number of requests to be allowed to list. Mr. T. O. Bunting, tax lister for Wilmington township, was authorized to receive these lists for all the townships in the county. A recess was taken subject to call of the chairman.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lumina—Complimentary Dance.
Martin O'Brien—Executor's Notice.
Wilmington Light Infantry—Inspection.
American National Bank—Savings Bank.
F. A. Bishinger—No Beauty Unadorned.
N. Jacobi Hdw. Co.—North Star Refrigerators.
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Start an Account.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Builder.
Wanted—Roller Top Desk.
Wanted—Dry Goods Clerk.
Help Wanted—Young Man.
Wanted—Traveling Salesman.

Big Dance Tonight.

At Gay Lumina. Complimentary to guests of Seashore Hotel. Two orchestras. **

EXCURSIONS THIS WEEK

Two Three-Day Parties Over Coast Line and Seaboard Today—Two Others on Tomorrow and Fifth on Friday.

The city and seaside resorts will be alive with excursionists this week. Two big ones will reach the city this afternoon and two others will arrive tomorrow with still another Friday. Most of these excursions are for two and some of them three days.

Probably the first to arrive today will be that over the Atlantic Coast Line from Columbia and Florence, S. C., which will remain in the city and in transit three days. The special train will leave Columbia at 7 o'clock this morning and the fare for the round trip will be only $2.50. Tickets on this excursion will be good to return on special or any regular train up to and including the afternoon train on Thursday, 3:35 P. M. The second excursion to arrive this afternoon will be over the Seaboard Air Line from Rutherfordton and Charlotte, leaving Rutherfordton at 5:45 A. M., and Charlotte at 9:30 A. M. The fare for the round trip will be $3. This party will leave for the return Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock after three days at the seashore.

Tomorrow two other excursions are due to arrive, one from High Point, arriving at 6:50 P. M., for two days and still another arriving at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon and returning the same evening. On Friday there will be a big one-day excursion from Mount Olive and still another from the same place on the 27th. It is fair to assume that with the gun club tournament and other attractions at the beach, there will be fully two thousand visitors at the beach for two and perhaps three days.

MAGNIFICENT SUCCESS.

Moonlight Dance an Artistic Triumph Very Large Attendance.

It is estimated that fully two thousand people from the city and beach attended the moonlight dance last night at Lumina, the pretty pleasure palace of the Tidewater Power Company at Wrightsville Beach, which was more beautiful than ever in its effulgence of moonlight decorations and pretty lighting effects. Express trains from the city during the early hours of the evening were filled with young people and upon their arrival Lumina presented at once a scene animated and beautiful.

From the port holes around the ceiling of the pretty ball room of the pavilion projected fantastic transparences carrying out the "moonlight" idea, back of each being strong electric lights which threw a soft glow beneath. Then from the centre of the ceiling was suspended a magnificent, large moon which made an admirable centre piece for the otherwise pretty setting of the dance. Over in a corner was a high-power spot light that ever and anon threw variegated colors upon the merry maze on the floor. In another corner a large stereopticon made still more prominent the "moonlight" and the "man-in-the-moon" idea prominent. All the more violent light of the pavilion on ordinary occasions was subdued and the effect was one beautiful indeed. During the evening more than two hundred handsome open and shut silk fans of fantastic design were given to the dancers as favors or souvenirs of a most delightful evening, which it is good to know will be repeated in two weeks with an entirely new setting, most probably a Japanese effect.

The effects last night were designed by Mr. Harry Woollcott, secretary and treasurer of the company, and executed and designed by Mr. E. C. Hudson, superintendent of the gas department, while Mr. Raymond Hunt, assisted by Messrs. Williamson and Sellers are due the credit for the pretty electrical display that was possible under the general scheme.

GREAT REMOVAL SALE.

J. W. Fleet Company Announce Special Bargains at The Store.

To make room for an all new stock with which the firm will open shortly on the A. David corner at Front and Princess Sts. the J. W. Fleet Co., has inaugurated this week a great removal sale in which some extraordinary bargains in men's clothing and furnishings are being offered. All goods have been marked one-third off and the stock includes not only men's wear but clothes for boys and children; also a select line of hats and other lines usually carried in the up-to-date store. The careful and discriminating buyer will no doubt investigate these rare bargains which are already becoming the talk of the town.

Southern Wholesale Grocers.

Mr. L. B. Rogers, of the D. L. Gore Company, left yesterday afternoon for Asheville where he will attend the annual meeting of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association, which is composed of wholesale grocers from all over the Southern States. The convention will be called to order today and will continue in session through Thursday. Mr. L. B. Rogers is a member of the advisory board of the Association and with the other Wilmington delegation will take a prominent part in the proceedings. It is expected that Wrightsville Beach will make a bid for the next annual convention of the Association.

SHOOT BEGINS TODAY

Annual State and Inter-State Tournament of North Carolina Trapshooters.

VISITORS ALREADY ARRIVING

Ten Events Each of Three Days With Special Prize Contest—Preliminary Trials at Clay Pigeons Yesterday.

Many visitors are arriving and have already arrived for the annual State and Inter-State tournament under the auspices of the North Carolina Trapshooters' Association, which will begin this morning promptly at 9 o'clock and continue through Thursday of this week.

While the indications do not point to a very large attendance, it is expected that there will be thirty or more men to face the traps, and that some excellent shooting will be the result of not over-crowding. There are ten events of twenty targets each with $100 added money to be shot each day in addition to several special events, one of which will be the State championship shoot for the handsome cup offered by Mr. George L. Lyon, of Durham, and won at Charlotte last year by Mr. C. C. Bates, of Charlotte, who is here for the Wilmington tourney to defend the cup. Mr. Lyon will not be here as he is taking part in a shoot in the New England States. Then there is also a shoot between teams representing North Carolina and Virginia for the championship of the two States. The Virginia team failed to show up in Charlotte last year, but they are expected in Wilmington for this tournament. Nothing, however, has been heard from them.

There are a number of professionals here to take part in the shoot,

MR. E. H. STORR.
Representative of Peters Cartridge Co., Who Made High Record in Preliminary Shoot Yesterday Afternoon.

though they do not participate in the prize money. Among the number are E. H. Storr, of Charlotte, representing the Peters Cartridge Company; Colonel J. T. Anthony, "the old vet" of Charlotte, representing the U. M. C. people and the new Remington firearms; Mr. Harold Money and Mr. Knight, the clever representatives of the Winchester Repeating Arms Co.; Mr. B. W. Hatcher, of the American Powder Co., manufacturers of the Dead shot powder; Mr. Walter Huff, of the Dupont Powder Works; Dr. James L. Johnson, of Raleigh; Mr. Anderson, with the Winchester people; Messrs. William Walls, Ed. Killette and W. W. Simms, of the Wilson Club; G. M. Collins, of Due West, S. C., and several from other clubs in the States.

The Wilmington Gun Club has arranged for refreshments on the grounds and it is expected that the visitors and members of the local organization will make a day of it on the grounds. Many of the visitors are stopping on the beach where there is an immense crowd and until the lists are open this morning, the exact number of entrants cannot be known.

There was a very interesting preliminary shoot at the traps yesterday afternoon, fifteen men having had a turn at the targets, including a number of the professionals. Mr. Storr, representing the Peters Cartridge Co., made the remarkable score of 195 out of 200, having broken 98 out of 100 last Wednesday and 97 out 100 birds in the shoot yesterday—and that, too, on the 13th of the month. Mr. Huff, of the Dupont Powder Co., made the same fine record yesterday afternoon. Other scores yesterday were as follows: Hatcher 46-50, Anderson 69-75, Stokley 47-50, Harriss 46-50, Boushee 64-75, Knight 45-50, Littig 66-75, Dreher 66-75, Merriman 46-75, Johnson 45-50, Anthony 48-50, Empie 21-25 and Bates 42-50.

The men will get down to real hard work today shooting in squads of five until all the events are off. The public generally is invited to the grounds, ladies as well as gentlemen. The tournament promises to be quite interesting indeed.

LARGEST EVER ARRIVED

British Steamer Torr Head, With Tonnage of 3,868, Arrived Yesterday From Hamburg, Germany. Cargo of Kainit.

The port of Wilmington yesterday had the unique distinction of entering the largest vessel that ever brought cargo to this port, the ship being the British steamer Torr Head, which arrived from Hamburg, Germany, coming by way of Norfolk and having a tonnage of 3,868. The Torr Head has a gross tonnage of 5,911, with a capacity tonnage of 10,000.

It arrived here with a cargo of kainit for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company and is to the agency of Heide & Co. The crew consists of 45 persons and she has a keel measuring 480 feet, 51 feet beam and 40 feet depth of hold. The ship is splendidly equipped having electric lights, ventilators and wireless tlegraphy apparatus. It is a four-mast vessel and is in charge of Capt. Brenman.

The big steamer had a much larger cargo when she arrived at Norfolk, where a portion of it was discharged, arriving here with 3,000 tons of kainit and muriate of potash. She will be in port probably a week or more while the discharging will be in progress at the upper compress.

The Torr Head is owned by the Ulster Steamship Company, of Belfast, Ireland, and is thoroughly up-to-date in every particular.

Some ten or twelve years ago the same ship was aground off the Cape Fear coast and was pulled off by local tugs and pilots after which she proceeded without damage.

HELD UNDER SUSPICION.

Arrested For Disorder and Released, Frank Dalton is Re-arrested.

An alleged fugitive from justice, Frank Dalton, is confined in the city jail to await an investigation of the circumstances that lead to his arrest. He was arrested twice in two days, the first occasion being for drunkenness and disorder at Hollis' boarding house back of the market Sunday morning. In court yesterday morning he pleaded for leniency and the Mayor dismissed the case on condition that he immediately leave the city, this being due to the fact that Dalton is a cripple and a tramp, who hailed from parts unknown.

Two boys of neat appearance inquired at the City Hall for Dalton and on being questioned by the Mayor, it was learned that they were following him around, seeing some of the world, as they said, and gave their home as Atlanta. Mayor Springer then wired to the address furnished by the boys and the reply came back that the parties given could not be located. Dalton soon after being released returned to the boarding house and inquired for the boys, whereupon Mayor Springer ordered him re-arrested and he was placed in the guard house again where he will be held until the Atlanta matter is investigated and the boys delivered into proper hands.

YOUNG NEGRO DROWNED.

Fell Off Wharf at Swift Fertilizer Works Yesterday Afternoon.

Accidentally losing his balance and falling off the wharf at the Swift Fertilizer Works, Eugene Wood, colored, 28 years old, being unable to swim, was drowned yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock. Several of the other workmen standing near saw him fall but were unable to render immediate assistance. Some minutes after he fell in the water the body came to the surface and was soon recovered and brought ashore, where efforts were made to revive him, but proved fruitless.

Wood was an employe of the Swift Fertilizer Works and those acquainted with him stated that he came here from South Carolina. Shortly after the accident the remains were turned over to an undertaker and Coroner Bell was notified, but positive evidence as to the cause of Wood's death made an inquest over the remains unnecessary.

Lumina Express Train.

Tomorrow and Saturday nights the Tidewater Power Company will operate for the benefit of Lumina patrons a fast three-car express train starting from Front and Princess streets and stopping only at Fifth, Ninth and Lumina. Returning this train will leave the beach at 11:15 making no stops until Ninth street is reached, then stopping at Fifth and continuing on to Front. This train will leave the junction promptly at 8:30 on the nights mentioned and the patrons of Lumina may expect that when the Lumina Express is operated there is something special on at the other end worth going to see.

To Erect New Store and House.

Building permits were issued yesterday to Mr. W. C. Munds for the erection of a store and residence on corner of Ninth and Market streets. The two story structures are estimated to cost $5,000; the store at the cost of $1,500 and the house at $3,500. The contractor for the buildings is Mr. B. H. Stephens and the work has been in progress for several days. Both structures will be built of wood.

Complimentary Dance.

at Lumina tonight. Complimentary to guests of Seashore Hotel. Two orchestras. **

UNSOCKED RED SOCKS

Seven to Naught Gruesome Story Told From Wake County Ball Ground Yesterday.

SAILORS EASILY THE VICTORS

Wilson Won From Goldsboro One to Nothing Yesterday—Wilmington Team on With Its Batting Clothes Yesterday.

Results Yesterday.
Wilmington 7, Raleigh 0.
Wilson 1, Goldsboro 0.

Games Today.
Wilmington at Raleigh.
Wilson at Goldsboro.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	2	0	1,000
Wilmington	2	1	.666
Goldsboro	1	3	.250
Raleigh	0	2	.000

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 13.—On its first visit to Raleigh the Wilmington team walked away with the game 7 to 0 this afternoon. They "won in a walk" too, the game being one of the slowest of the season so far as Raleigh's share was concerned. The Wilmington players made quite a favorable impression on the few people who were out.

Threatening clouds and some rain made evident inroads on the attendance, little more than one hundred being present. There were really a number of fine plays by the visitors and it would have been a game well worth while had Raleigh only been able to get down to playing. As it was, though, there was no ginger whatever in Raleigh's exhibition. Flynn, Wilmington's left fielder won most laurels. He made a running catch of a ball that had passed over his head that set the fans wild in his praise. Wysong's work in the box was another feature.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Flynn, lf	3	2	1	4	0	0
Hoey, 1b	3	1	1	5	2	0
Smith, 3b	5	0	3	2	1	0
Doak, rf	5	1	0	1	0	0
Ross, c	5	1	2	5	2	0
Sharp, 2b	5	0	0	6	5	4
Rath, ss	4	1	1	4	2	1
Jayes, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Wysong, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	7	10	27	11	5

Raleigh	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Hoffman, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Fox, 2b	2	0	0	3	3	1
Kelly, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Farmer, 1b	4	0	0	0	0	4
Dawson, cf	3	0	1	2	1	1
Hill, ss	2	0	0	0	7	3
Reid, 3b	3	0	0	12	0	0
Wrenn, c	3	0	0	6	3	0
Harris, p	3	0	0	1	5	0
Total	27	0	2	26	33	9

Wilmington ..001 201 003—7 10 5
Raleigh ..000 000 000—0 2 9

Batteries—Wysong and Ross; Harris and Thompson.

Summary—Struck out, by Harris 4, by Wysong 3; two base hit, Flynn; time 1:40; umpire, Mr. Henderson.

Game Lost Through Error.

Goldsboro, N. C., July 13.—The usual thing happened today, an error and the "opportune" time giving Wilson one run in the second inning, Goldsboro being unable to get a man across the rubber. Both Ogle and Sullivan pitched shut out ball, Wilson only getting two hits while Goldsboro got four. Getting, Wilson's shortstop, was put out of the game and fined for scrapping with the umpire in the first inning.

The Score:—	R	H	E
Wilson .. ....010 000 000—1	2	1	
Goldsboro .. ...000 000 000—0	4	4	

Batteries—Ogle and Holt; Sullivan (J) and Sullivan, (J. L.)

Summary—Struck out by Ogle 7, Sullivan 6; base on balls, Ogle 1, Sullivan 0; time 1:40; umpire, VanArman; attendance 450

BIG SALE AT SOLKY'S

One-Fourth Off on Suits and Straw Hats to Reduce the Stock.

While no noise has been made about it, a sale has been inaugurated at the store of J. M. Solky & Co., that is attracting considerable attention in the city. This popular establishment is this week offering one-fourth off on suits and straw hats in order to reduce the stock in these special lines and the store is crowded almost daily by those who are seeking these bargains. The entire stock of men's, youth's and children's suits, also the entire stock of straw and Panama hats are being offered at one-fourth off. These sales are held each season at about this time of the year and many watch and wait for them. All unsold stock is being converted into money, regardless of price to make room for the Fall deliveries.

Lumina Tonight.

Complimentary dance at Lumina tonight. Two orchestras. **

Keep cool by going with the Christian Endeavor Society on the moonlight excursion tonight. **

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President—W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska.
For Vice President—Jno. W. Kern, of Indiana.

For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.
For Lieut. Governor—W. C. Newland.
For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.
For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.
For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.
For Attorney General—T. W. Bickett.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—W. A. Graham.
For Corporation Commissioner—B. F. Aycock.
For Superintendent of Education—J. Y. Joyner.
For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.
For Labor Commissioner—M. L. Shipman.

THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

From a lengthy editorial in the Philadelphia Press, of the day after the nomination of Messrs. Bryan and Kern, we take the following paragraphs The Press in the first paragraph quoted undertakes to explain why it was so easy for Mr. Bryan to secure the nomination for President, as follows:

"For the nomination he received yesterday he has been substantially a candidate since Judge Parker's defeat four years ago. He conducted his canvass for delegates without the least organized opposition from any quarter until it was too late to make any opposition effective. The section of the party which naturally would have led that opposition appears to have been paralyzed by its own failure with the candidate it was permitted to nominate four years ago. It was timid or indifferent; while it waited Bryan worked and secured delegates and wisely had them instructed, otherwise he would have lost many in the final proceedings."

There is much truth in what the Press says. Indifference among those in the party opposed to Mr. Bryan or a feeling that nothing could be gained by an effort to prevent his securing the nomination prevented any organized opposition to him until it was too late to accomplish anything by it, and when the work of opposition was taken up there was no unity of action or concentration of the opposing forces on any one candidate. By the time the advocates of opposition to him had gotten to work he had secured almost enough delegates to nominate him. His success was a foregone conclusion; it was, it might be said, secured by default on the part of those who preferred some other man as the party's candidate.

These being the facts in the case, the almost unanimous vote Mr. Bryan got in the convention cannot be taken as a correct index of his standing with the whole party as a candidate for the nomination. We are speaking now of his strength before the people of his party for the nomination and not as its nominee for the election. The nomination has been made. He has been declared the nominee of the party by a large majority of its representatives in convention assembled, chosen by the people of the party. That question has been settled and it behooves all good Democrats to bow to the will of the majority and to acquiesce in the choice of their chosen representative. Had the opponents of Mr. Bryan succeeded in bringing about his defeat and the nomination of some other person, they would have expected the Bryan men to yield to the majority and give hearty support to the nominee, whoever he might have been. Then why should not the anti-Bryan men do as they would have expected to be done by?

The time has come when there must be no more talk about Bryan and anti-Bryan factions. There must be no division and looking back to ante-convention days. We must be one and indivisible now, realizing the truth of the motto that "United we stand, divided we fall;" for surely it must be known of all men that the party cannot expect to succeed unless it is united on the man who has been declared its nominee by the men who were chosen to select its representative in the electoral contest.

In regard to the nominee for the second place on the ticket the Philadelphia Press has this to say:

"He comes from a contested State. He has not been to closely identified with either faction in his party in Indiana, and he has twice been nominated for Governor as a compromise candidate. The faction now in control, led by "Tom" Taggart, does not object to him, and he is satisfactory to the earlier, more conservative, not to say more respectable, wing of his party, displaced in power by those who eight years ago routed the surviving friends of Hendricks and McDonald."

One would judge from the above that the Denver convention made no mistake in the nomination of Mr. Kern; that he is a man who will have great influence in the Middle West where the hottest of the fight will be made and that he will add much strength to the ticket in that section.

GROVER CLEVELAND'S WILL.

Mr. Cleveland's will was probated at the home of Mrs. Cleveland in Princeton Friday, the probate judge showing the widow the delicate kindness of going to her residence instead of requiring her to come to the court house in Trenton for the purpose. She was appointed executrix and Frank S. Hastings executor. No inventory of the estate is made, but it is judged to be worth about a quarter of a million dollars.

After bequeathing legacies to his four children and to some other relatives and friends he makes his widow his residiary legatee. The will was executed in February 1906. Throughout it is plain, simple and concise.

It is to the first cause in the will, however, to which we wish to call special attention. After reading it one will understand why Mrs. Cleveland was so anxious that the funeral should be as simple and unostentatious as possible, for it is evident from one expression in the will that she knew its contents before her husband's death.

The first clause of the will is as follows:

"First—I hereby direct that after the payment of all my debts and funeral expenses an appropriate monument with brief inscription and only moderately expensive be erected at my grave and paid for out of my estate. I desire to be buried wherever I may reside at the time of my death, and that my body shall always remain where it shall be at first buried, subject to its removal only if it shall be absolutely necessary in order that it shall repose by the side of my wife and in accordance with her desire."

It shows his "ruling passion strong in death" for that simplicity which characterized him all through life. As far as lay in his power to prevent it there should be no unseemly display at his funeral; it was to be that of an ordinary citizen, and his grave was to be marked by a simple and inexpensive monument. Nothing that Grover Cleveland ever did, said or wrote showed more clearly the true characteristics of the man than that first clause of his will. As his life had been lived so did he want its end to be. May his rest beneath that "appropriate monument with brief inscription and only moderately expensive" be one of peace, and may the example for honesty and courage in public office as well as for simplicity of life in high official place in these days of ostentation and display which he set before our people be a lesson to them which will not be soon forgotten, but be long remembered to the good of the people whom he served so faithfully in many important positions.

The Brooklyn Eagle, Democratic, which declares that it "prefers Mr. Taft and will oppose Mr. Bryan," will be found flocking all by itself of the leading Democratic papers.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The platform adopted by the Democratic National convention is a strongly conservative and dignified statement of Democratic principles, and rings true to the core.—Kinston Free Press.

—"Bryan, Kern and Kitchin" spells political victory in North Carolina. With other States of the Union the vote of North Carolina will go to make William Jennings Bryan the next President.—News and Observer.

—If the country does not make a landslide to Democracy in this year 1908, we shall be surprised. With such a ticket and such a platform, both State and National, we should certainly win a great victory.—Greenville Reflector.

—Messrs. John D. Bellamy, Josephus Daniels and others of the North Carolina delegation to Denver have learned that the West without regard to former party affiliations is for Col. Bryan, and believe he will be elected. —Scittish Chief.

—The general practitioner tells you to eat regularly and sleep seven or eight hours every night. He recommends change of air and scenery now and then. Yet you find him day after day, driven by demands of his profession, swallowing his meals in a hurry, going without sufficient slumber, and hardly ever taking a vacation.—Newbern Sun.

—The Democratic ticket ought to get a large slice of the labor vote this year and it probably will. Regarding what has just transpired at Denver, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, says: "We will endeavor to have the American people ratify the stand taken by the Democratic party in its injunction plank in the platform. We received nothing in Chicago; a great deal in Denver."—Greensboro Telegram.

—The people of Norfolk will note with gratification the suggestion that the embarrassment of the Norfolk & Southern Railway may prove only temporary. The promise of benefits to the community held out by a successful operation of this road would be difficult to overestimate. It means the opening of vast and fertile but as yet virgin fields in Eastern Carolina, naturally tributary to Norfolk, the development of which would in turn, mean much to the advancement of this port.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

—The Republicans, to keep off the scare, are saying that they rejoice that W. W. Kitchin has been nominated, as he is the easiest man to beat, when in fact they do not believe a word of it, and are shaking like a man with the chills, behind their apparent joy. They fear the results and are now looking for some Republican to sacrifice—to bear the brunt of battle and go the way Tom Settle went. Kitchin the easiest man to beat! Why their remarks are like a fellow whistling in the dark to keep off the spooks.—Durham Sun.

—Out of the number of highly efficient men who were candidates for the office, the Democratic State Convention nominated Major W. A. Graham, of Macpelah, Lincoln county, for Commissioner of Agriculture. It is for our farming interests the most important place on the State ticket. Through a long and honorable public career, Major Graham has been unceasingly active in his efforts to better the agricultural interests of North Carolina. Now chairman of the Board of Agriculture, of which he has been a useful member for ten years, except during a term in the Legislature of 1905, he has already a fine working knowledge of the duties and possibilities of the Commissioner's office.—Progressive Farmer.

—Sitting in the galleries of the Charlotte convention were hundreds of women, many of them sitting through the entire night. Only curiosity brought many of them, but many were deeply interested and were studying the situation with more than idle interest or curiosity. Did it argue anything? Did it indicate that the Amercan woman at the South has on her mind more than a passive interest in politics and public questions? Was this a slight indication that American womanhood is seriously considering active participation in public government? Her English cousins have been active. In some American States women vote. The platform adopted by the Republicans at Chicago last month refers to the question What is coming? Are we to face this issue soon in North Carolina?—Concord Tribune.

TWINKLINGS.

—Farmer Hayseed—You advertised shady woods. Farmer Corntassel—Well, there's one tree for 'em to cut their initials on, and that's enough.—New York Sun.

—Mrs. Muggins—My husband proposed to me on the golf links. Mrs. Buggins—How did he do it? Mrs. Muggins—He asked me if he could caddy for me through the links of life. —Philadelphia Record.

—Mrs. Gadder (reading an ad)—Shopping by mail! How ridiculous! Mrs. Ascum—Why so? Mrs. Gadder—Why, how can one shop by mail? You can only buy things by mail?—Philadelphia Press.

Kind Lady—And you always go barefooted during the month of June my poor man? Sandy Sam—I have to, mum. People use up all the old shoes throwing at June weddings.—Chicago News.

—"A man has to draw it fine these days."—"What do you mean?" "Staying ten minutes after office hours each day will probably make a good impression, but staying fifteen is liable to excite suspicion that you are monkeying with your books.—Kansas City Journal.

—Mr. Cadd—Can I see that burglar who was arrested for breaking into my house last night? Inspector (hesitatingly)—Well, I don't know. What do you want to see him for? Mr. Cadd—Oh, there's nothing secret about it. I just wanted to find out how he managed to get into the house without waking my wife.—Illustrated Bits.

—White—What a strange looking face you have on your watch. It has figures for only eleven hours: Green—I had to have it made that way. The watch was losing an hour every halfday, and the watchmaker said it was impossible to adjust it to go any faster.—Judge.

—Drummer (settling bill in Eagle House, Hayfield)—Pardon my curiosity, sir, but what do you stuff your beds with in this hotel? Landlord (proudly)—Best straw to be had in this hull country b'gohh! Drummer—Ah! That is very interesting I know now where the straw came from that broke the camel's back.—Puck.

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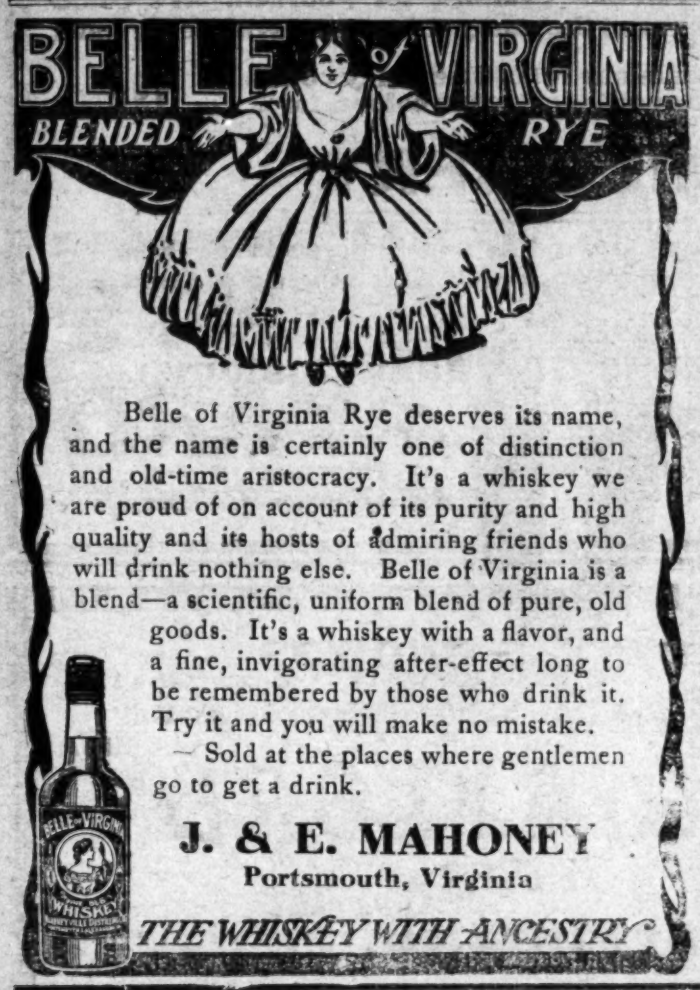

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Eastern North Carolina Interests Not Represented, Conference May be Held Between Judges Waddill and Purnell at Wrightsville.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July. 13.—The indications are that there will within a few days be important changes in the receivership of the Norfolk and Southern Railroad Company, in that decided objection developed on the part of influential interests to Eastern Carolina, through which most of the trackage of the company extends, being without representation in the receivership or the active management of the company's affairs.

There is a complaint that a mistake was made by Judge Waddill of the Eastern District, United States Court of Virginia, in naming all three of the receivers without reference to the wishes of these Eastern Carolina interests and without consultation with the Judge of the Eastern District of North Carolina through whose court the bulk of the business of the receivership would have to pass in the form of reports and orders of various kinds as the receivership progresses.

It is known that correspondence regarding this matter has passed between parties interested and that there is to be probably within a few days a conference between Judge Waddill, of the Virginia district and Judge Purnell, of the Eastern Carolina district, this conference, to be probably at Wrightsville Beach where Judge Purnell will spend the next several weeks.

It is understood that insistence is being made that in order that the highest degree of success may come of the receivership in re-establishing its interests in a business way, there must be the heartiest co-operation between the receivers and the interests of the Eastern Carolina section through which the greater part of the system extends and that this cannot be attained without a receivership that is entirely non-resident and "out of sympathy" as the situation is expressed.

K. M. King, who was intimately connected with the Norfolk & Southern from its incipiency and was vice president until the receivers took charge little more than a week ago is being urged as a receiver to take the place of one of the three heretofore appointed-Thomas Fitizgerald, Harry K. Woollcott and H. M. Kerr, or else to have Mr. King appointed general manager instead of having Receiver Fitzgerald serve in this dual capacity. Mr. King is being urged because of his long and intimate connection with the system and his wide acquaintance and great popularity in all sections of East Carolina into which the system extends.

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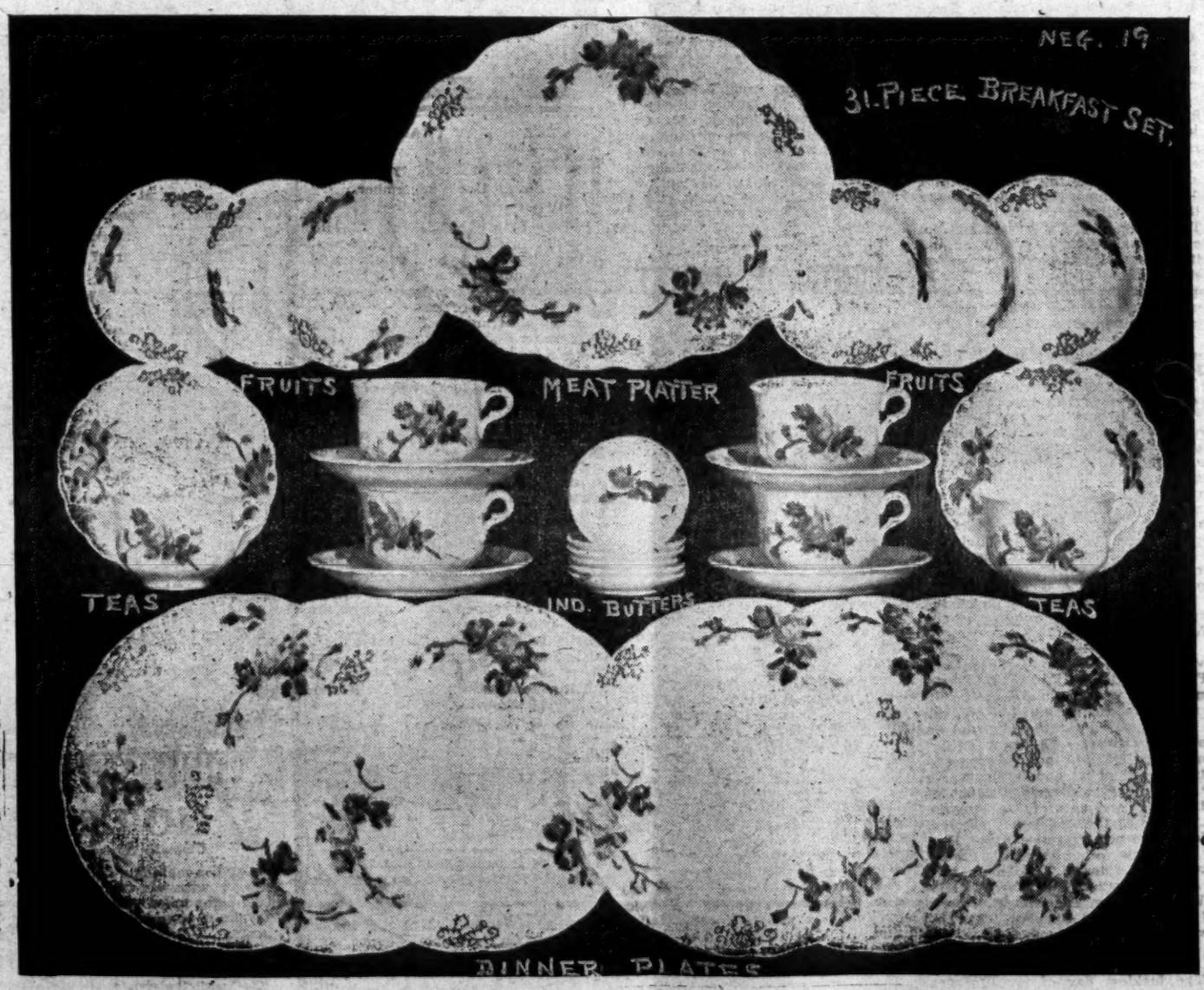

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Tuesday, July 14, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., July 14, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, July 13th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 79 degrees; 8 P. M. 80 degrees; maximum 89 degrees; Minimum 74 degrees; mean 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month 4.31.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Monday at 8 A. M. 5.5 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; light winds, mostly south.

Port Calendar—July 14.

Sun Rises.....4:53 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:17 P. M.
Day's Lenth.....14 hrs. 26 min.
High water at Southport 8:12 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:42 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Leon Clarke, of Salisbury, spent yesterday in Wilmington.

—Mr. N. M. Wallace, Jr., of Charlotte, was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

—Mr. W. H. Keith and family, of Timmonsville, S. C., are guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. John Woodward, of Columbia, S. C., is visiting in Wilmington and at Wrightsville Beach for a few days.

—Mr. J. B. Cooper is spending a few days at Kenansville, Duplin county, on a visit to relatives and friends.

—Miss Ethel S. Brewer, of Louisville, Ky., is the attractive guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Holmes Davis, in this city.

—Among the Sunday arrivals at The Seashore Hotel were Neill Alford and J. W. Carter, Maxton, and R. C. Powell, Whiteville.

—Mr. and Mrs. George D. Crow and little son left Sunday evening for Baltimore to spend some time at a resort near that city.

—Mr. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, was in the city yesterday and went down to the beach in the afternoon to spend a short while.

—Miss Mary Katherine Wooten, of Kinston, returned home yesterday morning after a pleasant visit to her aunt, Mrs. T. W. Wood.

—Messrs. Hyman Phillips and Mabry Hart, of Tarboro, returned to their home yesterday after a few days very pleasantly spent at the beach.

—Mrs. William H. Haughton, of Spartanburg, S. C., arrived Saturday and is visiting at the home of Col. T. C. James, Second and Grace streets.

—Mr. John S. Armstrong and family left Sunday evening for Buena Vista Springs, Md., where they will spend some time before taking up their residence in Baltimore.

—Rev. A. J. Parker, former pastor of Bladen Street M. E. Church, but now serving a charge at Dunn, N. C., was being cordially greeted by many friends in the city yesterday.

—Misses Amelia Linkhaw, Lida Gough, Miss Barker, of Lumberton and Mrs. John O. Gough, of Wake Forest, have returned home after spending a few days at Wrightsville.

—Yesterday's Charlotte Observer says: "Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hooper and two sons, Masters Charles and James, will leave this morning for Wrightsville to spend some time on the coast."

—Charlotte Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Buchanan and little daughter, Miss Alice, have returned from Wrightsville, where they spent several weeks——Mr. Harvey Lambeth left yesterday for Chase City, Va., for a stay of several weeks, immediately after returning from Wrightsville."

—The many friends of Mr. George W. Brunson, Jr., editor and manager of the Greenville (S. C.) Daily News, were delighted to see him in the city yesterday. He came to join Mrs. Brunson and little daughter, who have been guests here since Mr. Brunson recently went abroad.

—Sunday's Charlotte Observer says: "Miss Roberta Lord, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Watters, on Tenth avenue——Mrs. L. R. Pruett left yesterday morning for Wrightsville to spend several days on the coast——Misses Sue Woodside and Clara and Ida Faulkner, will leave Tuesday for Wrightsvile to spend some time."

COMPLIMENTARY TO VISITORS.

Brilliant Dance at Lumina Tonight For Seashore Hotel Guests.

Something special will be given at Lumina tonight. This will be a complimentary dance to the guests of the Seashore Hotel. There will be two orchestras to furnish the music. The Seashore Hotel orchestra, which Manager Hinton has loaned for the occasion, and the regular Lumina orchestra. The two orchestras will alternate in playing so that the music will be continuous. A very large crowd is expected to attend this dance. It is said that the Tidewater Company has some moonlight left over from last night's dance, which will lend its effulgence to the beauty of this evening's affair. There are a large number of visiting young ladies at the Seashore Hotel and this evening's dance will give the Wilmington young people an opportunity of meeting them.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Associated Charities will be held at the office of the Association this morning at 11 o'clock.

—Robert S. Pierce, a white man, was arrested yesterday by Officer Leon George and is held for trial today on the charge of interfering with an officer.

—The Southside Rattlers met the Lone Stars in a game of baseball yesterday morning at the grounds, corner Ninth and Meares streets, the result being a victory for the first named by a score of 8 to 3.

—The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet this afternoon in the church parlors. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

—The firemen at headquarters of Engine Company No. 1, Fourth and Princess streets, have impounded a fox terrier, female pup, four or five months old. Owner can get same by applying at the engine house.

—The many friends of Mr. Fred Bear will be interested to know that he has graduated from the Irving School, Tarrytown, N. Y., and has gone to Kamp Kobossee, Monmouth, Maine, where he will spend several months.

—Tom Blackmon, a young white man of neat appearance, was arrested yesterday by Officer Leon George on the charge of vagrancy. He claims that he is a traveling man. He will be given a hearing today before Mayor Springer.

—Rebecca Clements and Titus Hunter, both colored, were indicted in Justice Bornemann's court yesterday by Lucile Southerland, colored, for disorderly conduct. The Clements woman was found guilty and the Hunter woman was discharged, the cost being taxed on the prosecuting witness.

—Policeman J. E. Bachelor, who has been on the lookout several days with the cart and net for unlicensed dogs, has been very successful in bringing them in and as a result over a hundred have applied for tags since the round was begun. Thirteen of the canines, who had remained their allotted time in the pound at Fourth and Market streets, were killed yesterday afternoon.

TO MEET THE TURK.

Tommie Ryan Local Champion Will Meet Hatch Friday Night.

Tommie Ryan, the local wrestling champion, has agreed to meet Professor Louis Hatch, known in sporting circles as "The Terrible Turk," in the squared arena at the Casino, Wrightsville Beach, Friday night of this week and has already gone in training for the match. Hatch is not now in the city but Ryan has received assurances from him that he will return to the city and will meet the Scotchman with a handicap, if desired. Ryan, however, refuses to take the handicap and has gone in hard training for a catch-as-catch can bout, the best two out of three in an hour. Hatch guaranteed to throw Ryan in eight minutes but the Scotchman doesn't care to go into an exhibition where the public would expect only one fall. He wants it the best two out of three. The mat has already been sent down to the beach and Ryan will continue in the hardest training until the night of the meet. Further announcement will be made later.

FISHING EXCURSION

The Tug Blanche Will Go to Black Fish Grounds Next Friday.

An excursion worth while will be the voyage to the Black Fish Grounds, twenty miles across the bar from Southport, which is pleasantly anticipated by a large number, who will take advantage of the outing next Friday. The trip has been splendidly arranged and the tug Blanche has been obtained to convey those who desire to go. The tug will leave at 4 o'clock in the morning and returning will reach Wilmington about 5 P. M.

This is one of the most delightful excursions arranged this Summer and quite a number have already signified their intention of going. Mr. W. E. Yopp is at the head of the arrangement committee and tickets can be obtained from him.

Merchant For False Pretence.

Joseph Berbary, a Syrian merchant on the charge of false pretence, was arrested yesterday on complaint of L. B. Johnson, a representative of a Northern dry goods firm, who alleges that Berbary obtained goods when he was on the verge of bankruptcy by misrepresentation, on the statement that he owed no debts, was under obligations to no one and owned between seven and eight thousand dollars worth of goods. The claim held by the prosecuting witness is for $79.10. Berbary gave a $200 justified bond for appearance before Justice Bornemann on July 29th. The case was postponed until this time at the request of the defendant.

Advent Church Dedicated.

The dedication of the Advent Christion church yesterday, the pretty little edifice recently completed on Middle Sound, was a significant event on Sunday afternoon. The new edifice was erected by the congratulation and is true in all of its appointments. Elder J. P. King, a former resident of Wilmington, and now of Jacksonville, Fla., preached the dedicatory sermon, which was a powerful discourse. During the day other sermons were preached by Elder J. T. Johnson, pastor of Advent Christian church, Elder J. W. S. Harvey, Elder C. C. Norris and Elder George Shepard. All the services were well attended.

A Californian's Luck.

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve;" writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c. boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

STORY SWEETLY TOLD.

Historic Drama of Sicily's Loyal Senators at The Bijou.

Patrons of the Bijou were delighted yesterday with the presentation of the story of Damon and Pythias, the historic drama of Sicily's loyal Senators, as told in high class moving pictures and those who did not have an opportunity of visiting the theatre yesterday will be pleased to know that the same film will be on today again.

The story is told in six scenes and they are pronounced the most magnificent spectacular pictures ever put on. The scenes are not only beautiful and interesting but they are highly instructive and should be seen by old as well as young. The film tells the entire story in all its details and in such vivid manner as to impress it upon the mind for good. Scene one pictures the hireling soldiers of the tyrant Dionysius trying to stop Damon from entering the Senate; the tyrant knows that Damon's rugged honesty will stand in the way of his plans to plunder the treasury of Syracuse. Scene two pictures Dionysius denouncing Damon as a traitor for daring to opose him and sentences him to be beheaded in six hours. This does not frighten Damon so the monster threatens to behead his wife and child. The next scene shows the cowardly senators leaving in fear and trembling after Damon's outburst of wrath at Dionysius' perfidy to Syracuse and her people. Scene four finds Calanthe, the affianced bride to Pythias begging him to escape from prison where he is incarcerated as security for the safe return of his friend, Damon, whom Dionysius has allowed six hours to bid his family farewell. Pythias refuses to escape as he knows Damon will return to his fate. The fifth scene shows the beautiful wife of Damon and their son awaiting the return of husband and father unsuspecting the message of sorrow he will soon bring. The last scene presents the scaffold with Pythias awaiting the executioner. Damon has not returned and Pythias must die in his stead. Is Damon false to his friend? Over the hill then appears horse and rider all jaded from the long, hard ride. Even the strong heart of Dionysius is touched by such fidelity and friendship and he bids them both go in peace. The pictures are well worth the seeing. This is the last day of this big feature film.

PARTY OF GEORGIANS.

Special Pullman Arrived Sunday—Guests at Seashore Hotel.

A party of fifty or more prominent people from Marietta and Madison, Ga., arrived Sunday over the Seaboard Air Line in a special Pullman coach and will be guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach for a few days. Among those in the party are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Northcutt, Miss Jesse J. Northcutt, E. H. Clay, J. M. Fowler, F. W. Northcutt, B. S. Dobbs, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McNeill, nurse and five children, Mrs. R. M. McNeill and three children, Miss Annie Louise Adams, Miss Bessie Walton, Rick Walton, D. W. Blair, wife and four children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sams and child, J. G. Cohen, Ed Henderson, J. D. Malone, C. W. DuPre and wife, Miss Mamie Dobbs, H. N. DuPre, wife and child, Ralph W. Northcutt and wife, Guy H. Northcutt, Jos. T. Anderson, wife and five children, and J. D. Malone.

BIG VAUDEVILLE BILL.

Academy Presents Something New and Novel for All This Week.

A week of really high class vaudeville was inaugurated at the Academy of Music last night with two splendid performances featured by Azof, "The Man of Mystery," who indeed had his audiences "going." Azof is a magician of the higher type and gives a performance that is well worth the price of admission. He is indeed a man of mystery and kept 'em all guessing with his stunts at the two performances last night. Two performances will be given each night during this week at 8 and 9:15 o'clock with special matinees Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. The price of admission is only 10 cents and the Academy has been made cool and pleasant.

NIGHTS OF UNREST.

No Sleep, No Rest, No Peace for the Sufferer From Kidney Troubles.

No peace for the kidney sufferer—
Pain and distress from morn to night.
Get up with a lame back,
Twinges of backache bother you all day,
Dull aching breaks your rest at night,
Urinary disorders add to your misery.
Get at the cause—cure the kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills will work the cure.
They're for the kidneys only—
Have made great cures in Wilmington.

Mrs. Laura E, Hand, 809 Ann street, Wilmington, N. C., says: "I am willing to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as I used them and they did me a world of good. I suffered from dull nagging backaches and such severe pains across my loins that I was kept from sleeping at night. The kidney secretions also caused me trouble, being very irregular in action and painful in passage. When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I got a box from Robert R. Bellamy's drug store and they did me more good than anything I had ever taken. The backache ceased, the kidneys became regular in action and I could go to bed and obtain a full night's rest, arising in the morning feeling refreshed."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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Big Dance Tonight.

At Gay Lumina complimentary to guests of Seashore Hotel. Two orchestras—Continuous music. **

The entire line of beautiful embroideries at A. D. Brown's will be sold this week at half price for cash. **

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THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
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$1.50 White Canvas slippers for the next 10 days only 89c

REMNANT SALE

For the next ten days we purpose to deal out some very startling bargains in the form of Remnants.

On account of some odds and ends left over from our big Mill-End Sale we shall stick the knife in deep this week, and some things will have biggest half cut off.

It will pay you to call and examine for yourself. We could not begin to tell you here of the many things that will be on sale.

We will have on sale one lot of fine fancy cotton warp matting, 25c quality, assorted colors, for.....19c

MILLINERY

New lot of fancy feathers and wings just received. Fine assortment for summer hat trimmings. All trimmed hats at about one-half off.

Special Notice to Our Many Customers:

Our trimmer, Miss Sarah Gardner, will be at our store for some time yet before taking her usual vacation, and will be pleased to have you call on her for any information you may desire.

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SPECIAL TONIGHT — AT GAY LUMINA

COMPLIMENTARY DANCE
TONIGHT
At LUMINA

Complimentary to Guests of Seashore Hotel.

TWO ORCHESTRAS — TWO ORCHESTRAS

The Seashore Hotel Orchestra and the regular Lumina Orchestra will alternate—Music continuous.

LUMINA TONIGHT — FOLLOW the CROWDS

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THE HARRY THAW CASE

The Application For Jury Trial Continued Until September.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

White Plains, N. Y., July 13.—Proceedings in the Harry K. Thaw application for a jury trial to determine his mental condition were today adjourned until the September term of the Supreme Court of West Chester county. This arrangement was entered into before Judge Mills by Thaw's counsel and District Attorney Jerome of New York. In the meantime Thaw will remain in the custody of Sheriff Chanler of Dutchess county and will stay in the jail at Poukeepsie. When the stipulation was presented to Judge Mills in court he said at first he did not approve the agreement inasmuch as counsel were not agreed as to the whereabouts Thaw should remain in the meantime. A representative of Mr. Jerome, who was present, finally joined in the request that Thaw be remanded to the Poughkeepsie jail after Mr. Morschauser had threatened to withdraw from the agreement and insist upon an immediate hearing on the main point at issue. Justice Mills then gave his approval to the proposed adjournment and directed that Thaw be remanded to the custody of the Dutchess county sheriff until September 21 when he will be again produced before Judge Mills at White Plains and arguments will be made on the application for a jury trial. Thaw expected his wife to meet him in the court room here today and expressed himself as greatly disappointed when she did not arrive on an early train from New York

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

DISCUSS FREIGHT RATES.

Meeting of Chamber of Commerce Today at Noon.

An important discussion relative to the advance in Inter-State freight rates will be a matter of unusual importance at the meeting of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce today at noon. The question of freight rates is of general importance in North Carolina at the present time and the meeting today will likely terminate in expressing this body's sentiments from a local point of view in this matter.

President J. Allen Taylor will preside at the session and he especially requests a good attendance of members.

A pleasant trip is promised those who go on the moonlight excursion tonight. **

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CALLERS AT FAIRVIEW

Gompers and Kern Chief Visitors—Former Pledges Support to Bryan—Democratic Ticket Promised Majority.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., July 13.—Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, will support William J. Bryan in the coming Presidential campaign. In political circles today this announcement overshadowed all others, even the arrival of John K. Kern, the Vice Presidential nominee. While Mr. Gompers support was promised to the ticket, he specifically denied any present intention of taking the stump in the campaign. Reports gained currency that the labor leader would speak for Bryan, but he made no such announcement. He left Fairview after fifteen minutes' interview with Mr. Bryan. At present it is believed there will be no need for Mr. Gompers service in any oratorical sense, and Mr. Gompers does not expect to be called on to speak publicly in the campaign.

The Republican convention, Gompers asserts, ignored the demands of labor, while the Democrats acknowledged them in their platform. His course, he says, is clear and h will do what is demanded of him in the interests of labor as best expressed in the platform adopted at Denver. As the situation is at present, Mr. Gompers' efforts can be better expended elsewhere than on the rostrum.

In his interview with Mr. Bryan Mr. Gompers was attended by Frank Morrison, secretary of the Federation, and James Duncan also a labor leader.

The representatives of organized labor and the Vice Presidential nominee, John W. Kern, and party reached "Bryan Station" by the trolley car. Mr. Bryan, in his neglected fedora hat and alpaca coat, went out to greet them.

"Ah, there is the vice president", observed the leader of the ticket smiling and extending his hand.

"What Mr. Kern said in reply was lost in the confusion, but his smile was re-assuring as he shook hands vigorously with the standard bearer of his party.

Mr. Jackson, chairman of the State Central committee, declared that Indiana would go for Bryan by 10,000 votes. He based this prediction on a canvass which, he said, he had been making since the middle of January. He anticipated the enrollment of many Roosevelt Republicans on the Bryan list.

Mr. Bryan told his visitors that it had been reported he would make a front porch campaign. He was by no means certain of this, but admitted that he had promised to make a speech in Chicago on labor day. Aside from this date the candidate for the Presidency had made no plans.

Interest today naturally centered in the visit tomorrow of members of the new National committee. Dr. Hall national committeeman from Nebraska yesterday stated that the chairmanship of the committee lay amongst Ollie James, of Kentucky; Campau, of Michigan; Lamb of Indiana, and Atwood, of Kansas. Today speculation on the subject had narrowed down to Campau and James.

Mr. Bryan does not desire to name the chairman himself, but the absence of initiative on the part of his supporters probably will compel him in the end to name the man.

Denver, Colo., July 13.—Most of the members of the new Democratic committee left Denver at 5 o'clock this afternoon for Lincoln, Neb., where they will hold a conference with William J. Bryan regarding the selection of a Chairman and other affairs connected with the coming campaign.

MYSTIC SHRINERS.

Annual Conclave in Session—Largest Ever Assembled.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

St. Paul, Minn., July 13.—Mystic Shriners made today a galaxy of parades and music in St. Paul and tonight the gaily lighted streets are crowded with thousands of visitors who have come to attend the 34th annual conclave of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Mystic Shrine. Approximately 15,000 Shiners were in the city when the sun set this evening and during tonight and tomorrow 10,000 more are expected to arrive.

Though the formal opening of the conclave does not take place until tomorrow social and entertainment features were in full swing today. Osman Temple, of St. Paul, today held a ceremonial session at the Auditorium, a building that seats 10,000 persons.

The feature of the afternoon was a parade and review at Fort Snelling in which the entire garrison took part. After the review the barracks were thrown open to the inspection of visitors, and an informal reception which was attended by Brigadier Edgerly, Department Commander, was held at the officers club.

Thirty-five Arab patrols, twice as many as ever before, attended a conclave and will be in St. Paul during the meet. The patrol of 35 members from Almas Temple, Washington, gave an exhibition drill this afternoon at Fort Snelling. The only two camels owned by a Shrine were brought in today with Moila Temple, of St. Joseph, Mo.

The first session of the Imperial Council will take place tomorrow morning at the St. Paul Auditorium. Preceding this meeting ground will be broken in the presence of the visitors for a new Casonic Temple here.

The culminating event of the week will occur tomorrow night when the electrical parade will march through the streets, which are festooned with 25,000 electric lights.

All embroideries at half price for cash, at A. D. Brown's. **

A. D. Brown will sell tomorrow all embroideries at half price for cash only. **

BASE BALL

National League.

At Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 6.
At Pittsburg, 0; New York, 7.
Second: Pittsburg, 4; New York, 7
At St. Louis, 3; Brooklyn, 2.
At Cincinnati, 2; Boston, 3.

American League.

At Washington, 2; St. Louis, 3.
Second: Washington, 2; St. Louis, 4
At Philadelphia, 5; Chicago, 1.
Second: Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 9.
At New York, 0; Cleveland, 3.
At Boston, 2; Detroit, 6.
Second: Boston, 4; Detroit, 2.

Southern League.

At Memphis, 4; Atlanta, 0.
New Orleans, 5; Montgomery, 4.
At Mobile, 4; Birmingham, 3.
At Little Rock, 3; Nashville, 3 (13 innings, darkness.)

Virginia League.

At Lynchburg, 1; Roanoke, 4.
At Danville, 2; Norfolk, 5.
At Portsmouth, 3; Richmond, 2.

Carolina League.

At Spartanburg, 4; Greenville, 2.
At Anderson, 7; Greensboro, 2.
Second game Anderson, 1; Greensboro, 1 (6 innings, darkness.)

South Atlantic League.

At Jacksonville, 3; Augusta, 0.
At Charleston, 8; Macon, 1.
At Savannah, 2; Columbia, 0.

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A. D. Brown's elegant line of embroideries, at half price this week. **

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You will like the after-taste—it's fragrant and pleasing.

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Can't you afford to try it at their risk? It costs you nothing if it don't do the work.

Sent by mail to any address, prepaid, on receipt of 50 cents. Six boxes, $2.50. Under a positive guarantee.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WANTED—A second hand roller top desk. Address "Desk" care of Star office. jul 14 1t*

BUILDER—Who is at the same time lumberman, wanted for a profitable business. Must be an able man of means. Address "T. E. Co," care of Star. jul 14 1t*

HELP WANTED—Young unmarried man, of good appearance and address, capable of earning from $20 to $25 weekly. Address "M. P. G," care of Morning Star. jul 14 2t

WANTED—Position as traveling salesman. Address "Salesman", care of this paper. jul 14 1t*

WANTED — An experienced dry goods clerk. Address "A. B. C.," care of Star office. jul 14 1t

OFFICES FOR RENT—In the Garrell Building, southwest corner Princess and Second streets. Splendid location, steam heat, electric and gas lights and elevator. Call at building or on Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. jy 9-tf

VISIT BOYS' BRIGADE IN CAMP—Circle No. 1, Fifth Street M. E. Church will run an excursion to Southport Thursday, July 16th. Steamer Wilmington leaves at 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.; 50 cents round trip; 25c on the 2:30 boat. ju 12-su-we

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

LADIES puffs, puffs. Those pretty hair puffs made from your own Hair Combings or cut hair, charges very moderate. Send by mail. Monticello Hair Parlors, Norfolk, Va. jul 12 3t*

WE ARE OPEN for a salesman in North Carolina with an established trade to sell our line of pants from $1.75 to $5.00. Address Strauss Mfg. Co., 6 N. Liberty street, Baltimore, Md. jy 11-4t

THERE WILL BE an important meeting of the Governing Board, together with Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., at the W. L. I. armory Monday, July 20th, at 6 o'clock. By order of the president, Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, secretary. jul 10 fri su we su

BRICK, BRICK, BRICK—The Cronly Brick Company is prepared to fill all orders for brick on short notice. Phone 84. Yards on Water, between Princess and Chesnut streets. may 19-tf

PRICE LIST OF A. N. DUBOIS' ANALYSIS—Examination of ordinary water for potability, $5.00; Examination with partial quantity analysis, $7.50; complete water analysis, $15; mineral water, complete analysis, $25 up; urine, partial examination for disease, $1; urine, complete examination for disease, $2; urine, complete analysis, $15; milk examination for water adulteration, 50c; milk, determination of its cream value, 50c; milk, examination for adulterants, $1; milk, complete analysis, $5; flour bread, cakes, biscuits, sponge cake, baking powders, canned goods, tea, coffee, cocoa, chocolates, molasses, syrups, examination for excess of preservents and adulterants, $1; complete analysis of same, $5; lard, butter and salad oils, examination, $1; complete analysis of same, $5; paints, analysis, $5; earth, manure and artificial fertilizer analysis, $5 and up. Petroleum detection in turpentine oils or in anything else quantitatively, $1; Beverages, wine and whiskies, analysis, $5 and up. Office and laboratory, Worth Building, Wilmington, N. C. jun 26-tu-thu-fri-su-tf

FOR SALE—Burrough's Adding Machine; good condition guaranteed. Address "W. H." care of Star. jul 12 2t*

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

TYPEWRITERS—Rent or sale reasonably. Phone 625, or address P. O. Box 641. Typewriter Supply. jy 8-1tf

WANTED—A middle-aged woman for house-keeper. One who is capable of taking care of several small children. Give name and address. Address "A. B. C." care of Star. jy 8-1w*

TO LADIES Wanted to buy Hair Combings or cut hair, good prices given. Sent by mail. Monticello Hair Parlors, Norfolk, Va. jul 12 3t*

FOR SALE—Two Sumter telephones good condition, also one new Edison Phonograph, with reversible attachment, two horns and forty new records. Apply "Cuba on Wheels" Car, at Lumina. jul 12 2t*

POOL ROOM, Cigars, Tobacco and the finest fountain in the city. Our friends are asked to note the change in our business. We are prepared to furnish the public with the best in our line. D. L. T. Capps, proprietor of Candycapps, 123 Princess street. jul 1 tf

STEADY GROWTH and good returns to stockholders have been our record. We are working to make the future still better. New series August 1st. People's Building & Loan Association. Wm. F. Robertson, president; D. R. Foster, secretary and treasurer, 206 Princess street. jy 9-tf

ANNOUNCEMENT—We beg to inform all users of machineries oils, and particularly automobiles oils, that we have made special arrangements with Mr. A. N. Dubois, the analytical chemist, office Worth Building, Wilmington, N. C., to show you our complete line of machineries and automibile oils, give you prices and take your orders. The quality of our oils is the very best and the price as low as can be made. A trial sample order will convince you. O. F. Zurn Co., manufacturers and wholesale dealers, office and works, Broad and Lehigh Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. jun 21 1m

FOR SALE—Ford Runabout, in A1 condition. Complete equipment, top, lamps, exterior, etc. Will sell for a bargain or exchange for Coast Line or bank stock. Address Room 15, Garrell Bldg., 'phone 1634. jul 4-tf.

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MONDAY, July 13—10 to 11 o'clock—Allover Lace Net, in white and ecrue, 45 inches wide, worth 85c to $1.00 a yard, special one-hour price, per yard.... **50c**

$1.25 Ladies' Lawn Shirt Waists, lace trimmed, nicely made, all sizes in stock, special one-hour price, each **79c**

TUESDAY, July 14—10 to 11 o'clock—We will sell the remainder of our white linene Skirts, worth $1.25 a skirt, Special one-hour price each..... **75c**

$1.00 and $1.25 Ladies' Gowns, Corset Covers, Skirts and Drawers, all neatly made and trimmed, special one-hour price..... **75c**

WEDNESDAY, July 15—10 to 11 o'clock—50c and 75c plain and figured Habutai Silk, suitable for suits or waists, special one-hour sale, a yard..... **35c**

$1.50 Warranted Fine Quality Taffeta Silk, in black and colors, 36 inches wide. Special hours price per yard **$1.00**

THURSDAY, July 16—10 to 11 o'clock—50c Lisle ribbed Vests for ladies, extra fine quality, limit 6 to one customer, special one-hour sale, each..... **23c**

$1.75 Long Cloth, 12-yard pieces, limit 3 pieces to a customer, special hour sale, a piece..... **1.29**

FRIDAY, July 17—10 to 11 o'clock—12 1-2c Madras Ginghams, special one hour price, per yard **7c**

25c to 50c Summer goods, such as Silk Ginghams, Cotton Voilles, Chiffon Cloth, Mouselenes, etc. special one-hour price, per yard..... **15c**

SATURDAY, July 18—10 to 11 o'clock—15c to 25c Ribbon, in plaid, fancy weaves and plain taffeta, all shades 3 to 5 inches wide, special one-hour sale per yard **10c**

50c figured and dotted mouselene, only 10 bolts to close out, special one-hour price, per yard **25c**

¶ Prices made during our Inventory Sale of last week will hold during this sale in our Carpet department only. Parties wishing to buy Floor Coverings, Lace Curtains and Draperies will do well to call during this week's sale.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Kenansville, N. C., July 11.—The farmers of Duplin county are greatly encouraged over the present prospects of crops. Cotton, corn and tobacco crops are good and the tobacco is better than in several years past. The growth is good, and the chances are that the weight will average more this year.

—Greenville Reflector: A pile of some forty odd cannon balls weighing about 40 pounds each, attracted much attention around the court house square today. These cannon balls were sent here by Congressman John H. Small to be used in connection with the Confederate memorial. At present they form a mound about the centre of the court house square.

—News and Observer: President George T. Winston arrived in Raleigh yesterday after an absence of two months and a half on a European tour. He landed in New York Friday morning at ten o'clock on the Lusitania, and was in Raleigh that night at three o'clock. The close connection between three leading cities of the world, Liverpool, New York and Raleigh is thus strikingly illustrated.

—Scottish Chief: The cantaloupe shipments began in earnest this week. The prices are not satisfactory. The flavor has been fine, but the recent havy rains will no doubt effect that. The prices for corn, beans, peas, cucumbers, squashes &c., have been satisfactory. Watermelon shipments will soon begin. It is said for some reason places further North are even in advance of this section, cantaloupes being shipped from Norfolk; this, added to the Georgia peach crop and the Republican panic accounts for the low prices.

—Elizabeth City Star: The colored people are preparing to hold a negro Christian Educational Congress in this city, August 25-31. Many phases of their educational interests will be discussed, among which will be the need of a Reformatory school for the ex-convicts of the race who have justly served their time. The object of the congress is to endeavor to create a sentiment in favor of building a reformatory school for the criminal youth of the race. Distinguished men from various sections of the country have been invited to speak during the sessions, among them being, Governor R. B. Glenn, Hon. William Taft, Republican nominee for President, Hon. William Jennings Bryan and Dr. Booker T. Washington.

—Chapel Hill, N. C., July 11.—"Davie Hall," the new building which is now under process of construction at the University, is rapidly nearing completion. The building, which is being constructed with money appropriated by the State, will cost when completed about twenty-five thousand dollars. It is being fitted up with all the modern improvements and will be used as a biological laboratory. The Summer School for teachers, which is now in session, will close on July 21st. The school has been conducted on a high basis, which has made possible a course of normal instruction that is excelled by no other institution of its kind. It has been well attended and the teachers express themselves as highly pleased with the service.

—News and Observer: North Carolina is especially and peculiarly interested in the meeting of the Atlantic Deep Waterways Association, which is to be held in Baltimore November 17-19. The scheme of the inland waterway as originally planned was to build it from Beaufort, this State, to Baltimore. But cities all along the Atlantic seaboard have become interested, and realizing the possibility of the project and its incalculable advantages to every State in the South, they have taken an active interest in the movement till the plans have become so broad that it is now proposed to build an inland waterway from Key West, Fla., to Boston, Mass. No less than 30,000,000 people in the Atlantic seaboard States have petitioned Congress for a government appropriation to make possible the near accomplishment of the magnificent undertaking. It is gratifying to North Carolinians to know that Congressman John H. Small, of Beaufort county, has been one of the foremost promoters of the immense enterprise, and that he has been its ablest and most ardent champion in Congress.

—Winston Sentinel: F. E. Thomas has returned from Ocean View Va., where he has been spending several weeks putting up and starting a "View Seeing Wheel," which he designed and built himself. The wheel carries 28 people the height of 79 feet. It goes straight up, over and straight down, and is far superior to the Ferris or any other view-seeing wheel. Mr. Thomas has only put out one machine that being the one now in operation at Ocean View, and the wheel is making a big hit and is a money maker. The capacity of the wheel is $28 per hour at 5-cent fares. Mr. Thomas has had many inquiries since erecting the wheel at Ocean View but he has not fully completed arrangements for putting the wheel on the market. Atlantic City, New Jersey, has put in an application for a wheel 100 feet tall, this to be the first wheel Mr. Thomas puts up. The wheel is operated by motor power and only requires 2 1-2 horse power. At night the wheel is illuminated by 94 eight candle power lights. Mr. Thomas is a Winston-Salem boy, being a son of Mr. Thomas, of Waughtown.

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New Hanover County,
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In the matter of the Homestead of Mary Ann Smith, Widow of Owen Smith, deceased:

Notice to Creditors:

Mary Ann Smith, of said County and State, having filed her petition before the undersigned for her homestead exemption as the widow of Owen Smith, deceased, this is to notify all the creditors of the said Owen Smith that the said petition will be heard at my office in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, North Carolina, on Monday, the 30th day of November, 1908, when and where if they shall appear they may be heard.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1908.
G. W. BORNEMAN,
Justice of the Peace.
may 28-6w

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NOTICE.
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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:33 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		5:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 p
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	8:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

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TO THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 30th, 1908.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.
* This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.
10:00 A. M. 11:00 A. M.
Carolina Place, Delgado and Golf Links.

Leave Junction every 20 minutes from 6:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Sundays 8:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Leave Golf Links every 30 minutes from 7:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. Sundays 9:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M.

Special Baseball Schedule.

On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:15 to 4:15 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.

City tickets and passes will be accepted for transportation on these cars. Seacoast passes good only on beach cars.

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Schedule of the Carolina Beach and Southport Lines.

Steamer Wilmington leaves daily 9:00 A. M. for Southport and Carolina Beach and 2,30 P. M. for Carolina Beach, except Saturday and Sunday. Saturday leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 2:00 P. M.; leaves Southport 7:00 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Sundays leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., and for the Beach 7:30 P. M. Last train leaving Beach 8:30 P. M. Fare on Sundays 25c Round Trip.

Steamer Southport leaves Wilmington for Southport daily at 10:00 A. M., leaves Southport for Wilmington 2:30 P. M.

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This bank did not require a single customer, whose business was satisfactory, to pay maturing loans, our business proceeded as usual, and nearly two hundred thousand dollars new loans were made.

The coming Fall is bright with promises of good business, and this bank is now taking on many new customers whose accounts will be afforded the most liberal treatment and the best facilities.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 13.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady 37 1-2c.

ROSIN—Market nothing doing.

TAR—Market, firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.70 and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar firm $2.50; crude turpentine $3.00, $4.50 and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine. 62
Roson 243
Tar 6
Crude Turpentine 45

Receipts—Same day last year 63 casks spirits turpentine; 135 barrels rosin; 30 barrels tar; 59 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—82 bales, same day last year — bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 14@15c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides 35c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 12 1-2@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35 to 38c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green, dull 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.90@$2.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, July 13—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of 2 to 4 points, cables being disappointing and representing instead of the expected advance of 3 to 6 1-2 points, an advance of but 2 to 5 points. Following the opening the decline in the new crop positions was increased to a matter of 2 to 16 points with only a few feeble rallies during the session except for one sharp midday rise of 6 points on covering. The selling was due to unsatisfactory accounts from spinning sources and to general favorable crop news, supplemented by reports of continued weakness in Southern spot markets through an effort to reduce stocks of old cotton in anticipation of the new crop movement. There was some tendency to cover in view of a report by a Southern newspaper to the effect that in the Atlantic States and in Southern Texas the crop had deteriorated owing to rain. Selling was further arrested by reports that the central leading bear interests had changed front and were now largely long of October and the later months. The market was finally steady with July one point net lower and the rest of the list 2 to 11 points net lower and sales estimated at 75,000 bales.

Receipts at the ports today 6,055 bales against 8,169 last week and 1,848 last year. For the week 30,000 bales against 33,287 last week and 10,361 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 715 bales against 1,281 last year and at Houston 1,583 bales against 105 last year.

Spot 10 points lower; middling uplands 11.10; middling gulf 11.35; sales 100 bales. Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
July	——	9.45
August	——	9.36
September	——	9.32
October	9.37	9.27
November	——	9.15
December	9.25	9.16
January	9.15	9.08
February	9.14	9.08
March	9.13	9.08
May	9.18	——

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 11; Net receipts 2,734.

New Orleans—Quiet and easy, 11; Net receipts 715.

Mobile—Net receipts 1,293.

Savannah—Dull, 10 7-8; Net receipts 992.

Charleston—Quiet, 11; Net receipts 39.

Wilmington—Quiet, 10 7-8; Net receipts 82.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11 1-4; Net receipts 189.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-4.

New York—Quiet, 11.10.

Boston—Quiet, 11.10.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.30.

Total today, at all ports, Net 6,055; Great Britain 8,016; Continent 9,880; Stock 226,167.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 9,108; Great Britain 8,016; Continent 11,268;

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 8,274,610; Great Britain 2,867,608; France 830,029; Continent 3,270,619; Japan 190,649; Mexico 5.549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 10 13-16; Net receipts 1,583.

Augusta—Dull, 11 1-4; Net receipts 136.

Memphis—Steady, 11 3-16; Net receipts 47.

St. Louis—Dull, 11 1-4; Net receipts 33.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 129.

Louisville—Firm, 11 1-2.

Little Rock—Quiet, 10 3-4; Net receipts 105.

Total today—Net receipts 2,033; gross receipts 2,909; shipments 3,034; sales 413; Stock 93,932.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, July 13.—Cotton: Spot dull, prices one point higher, American middling fair 6.91; good middling 6:55; middling 6.27; low middling 5.89; good ordinary 5.31; ordinary 4.91.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 200 were for speculation and export and included 4,700 American. Receipts 4,900 included 2,800 American.

Futures opened steady and closed easy. July 5.70; July and August 5.64; August and September 5.29; September and October 5.13 1-2; October and November 5.05 1-2; November and December 5.03; December and January 4.97; January and February 4.95; February and March 4.96; March and April 4.96; April and May 4.97.

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DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 13.—The dry goods market opened quiet with prices holding firm. Lines of men's wear will be opened on Thursday and Monday. Lines of staple hosiery for spring were opened during the day. Prices ruled about the same as current prices for fall deliveries. Staple printed goods are still being ordered steadily. Raw silk is a shade easier with the demand light.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, July 13.—The stock market gave evidence today of the relief afforded by the sales to take profits in the latter part of last week, that process apparently having been completed. The contraction of the dealings was a warning of the lapse of operations further into professional hands with this completion of a customary cyclone of a speculative episode. While the market was narroy there was a perceptible growth of demand for stocks from new sources with the effect of keeping the tone firm to strong. Last week's events in the financial district had a cheering effect on the general business of every country and this was reflected back today in the necouraging views of the outlook for business today. Even abroad securities markets showed the influence of the improvement reported last week in Wall Street. The money market was firmer as a result of some large transactions in execution and in prospect. There was a firm tone in the early foreign exchange market in spite of prospective demands on the local money market. Much attention was given to the published exchanges between Vice President Brown of the New York Central and Secretary Hoile of the Manufacturers' Association of New York on the subject of an effort to make a general advance of 10 per cent. in the freight charges by the railroads. The contention of the railroad officials that this advance was a necessary alternative to a cut in wages which would "produce one of greatest strikes in history entailing a National disaster," did not lose its serious import with the declaration that the Manufacturers' Association would appeal to the Inter-State Commerce Commission to declare the increase in rates discriminatory and unjust.

Bonds were steady. Total sales par value $1,698,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today 386,200 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 13.—Money on call easy 1 to 1 1-2, ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered at 1 1-4. Time loans stronger but dull, sixty days 2, and ninety days 2 1-4 to 2 1-2, six months 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bill at 4.87 for demand and at 4.8575 to 4.8585 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.85 1-4 to 4.85 1-2. Bar silver 53 1-2. Mexican dollars 46.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg.....103 5-8
U. S. refunding 2s cou.....103 5-8
U. S. 3s reg 100
U. S. 3s cou.....100 3-4
U. S. new 4s reg.....121 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou.....122 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 6s.....105 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line 4s 91
Baltimore & Ohio 4s 98 3-4
L. & N. Unified 5s 97 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s..... 56 5-8
Southern Railway 5s 96
U. S. Steel 5s 101 1-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	69 1-4
American Car & Foundry	36 3-8
American Cotton Oil Co.	34
Amr. Locomotive	49 3-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd 103	7-8
Amr. Sugar Refining 126	3-4
Amr. Tobacco pfd	91 1-2
Atchison	83 1-2
Atchison pfd	91 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	91
Baltimore & Ohio	90 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd.....	83@87
Cheasapeake & Ohio	41 7-8
Erie	19 1-2
Erie 1st pfd	35 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	24
Kansas City Southern	23 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	55
L. & N. 108	3-8
New York Central 104	1-2
Norfolk & Western	71
Pennsylvania 122	1-2
People's Gas 92	1-2
Reading 116	
Rock Island Co	16 1-4
Rock Island Co pfd	28 7-8
Standard Oil 610	
Southern Pacific 88	1-2
Southern Pacific pfd 117	1-2
Southern Railway	17 3-4
Southern Railway pfd	45
U S. Steel	40 3-4
U. S. Steel pfd 107	1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	25
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd 100	1-2
Seaboard Air Line	——
Seaboard Air Line pfd	——
Western Union	54 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 13.—Flour—Quiet with prices firm.

Rye Flour—Easy.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Strong No. 2 red 99 1-2 to 1.01 elevator. Options 2c higher. July 101 1-2; September 99; December 100 1-8.

Corn—Steady No. 2, 82 1-8 nominal elevator. Options net unchanged. July 83 1-2; September 83 1-8.

Oats—Spot strong; mixed 57 to 58.

Lard—Firm.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw steady. Fair refining 3.86; centrifugal 96 test 4.36; molasses sugar 3.61. Refined steady.

Coffee—Dull No. 7 Rio 6 5-16; Santos 4s 8 3-4c. Mild quiet and firm; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 1-2. Futures net unchanged to an advance of 5 points.

Butter—Easy; creamery specials 23; extras 22 1-4 to 22 1-2, thirds to first 19 to 22; state dairy common to finest 18 to 22; process common to special 15 to 21 1-2.

Cheese—Firm; state, full cream specials 11 1-2 to 12 1-2; small or large, colored or white 10 to 11 1-4; skims 3-4 to 8 1-4.

Eggs—Strong; nearby selected white 24 to 25; good to choice 20 to 23; brown and fancy 22 to 23; good to choice 20 to 21.

Cotton Seed Oil was easy under pressure of long accounts. Prime crude 37 asked; prime summer yellow 47 1-4 off summer yellow 42 1-2 to 44 1-2; good off summer yellow 42 to 44 1-4; prime white 47 3-4 to 51; prime winter yellow 47 to 50.

Freights to Liverpool—Steady; cotton by steam 12c; grain by steam 11 1-2.

Peanuts—Steady; fancy handpicked 6 1-4 to 6 1-2. Other domestic 2 3-4 to 5 1-2.

Potatoes—Firm; Long Island per barrel 3.00 to 3.25; Jersey 3.00 to 3.25; Southern extra prime 3.25 to 3.50; others 2.00 to 3.00; culls 75 to 1.00; Jersey sweets per basket 1.50 to 2.25.

Cabbages—Firm; flat Dutch per barrel 75c to 1.25.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, July 13.—Scorching weather in the northwest caused an advance of more than 2c in the price of wheat on the local exchange today. At the close the September delivery gain of 5-8 to 3-4. Corn was off 1-4, oats were 1 3-4. Provisions were unchanged to 27 1-2c higher.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open	Highest.	Close.
Wheat.			
July ..	89 5-8	91 3-4	91 1-4
Sept ..	90 3-4	92 1-2	91 3-4
Dec. ..	93 1-4	94 1-4	93 1-2
Dec ne	92 1-4	94	93 1-4
Corn.			
July ..	75	75	74 3-4
Sept ..	75 1-8	75 1-8	74 1-2
Dec. ..	63	63	62 1-2
May ..	62 3-4	63	62 3-8
Oats.			
July ol	50	51	50 3-4
July ne	49 1-2	50 3-8	50 1-4
Sept ..	42 1-2	44	43 5-8
Dec. ol	43 3-4	44 5-8	44 5-8
Moy ..	45 1-2	37	46 1-2

Mess Pork, per bbl.

July ..	——	——	16 55
Sept ..	16.50	16 75	16 72 1-2
Oct. ..	16 62 1-2	16 72 1-2	16 70

Lard, per 100 lbs.

July ..	9 57 1-2	9 57 1-2	9 57 1-2
Sept ..	9 67 1-2	9 67 1-2	9 65
Oct. ..	9 80	9 80	9 75

Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.

July ..	——	——	9 02 1-2
Sept ..	9 12 1-2	9 17 1-2	9 07 1-2
Oct. ..	9 17 1-2	9 22 1-2	9 22

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, firm. No. 3 spring wheat 98 to 1.10; No. 2 red 90 1-4 to 92 3-4. No. 2 corn 74 1-2 to 75; No. 2 yellow 76 to 76 1-2. No. 2 white oats 58 1-2; No. 3 white 54 to 57 1-2. No. 2 rye 74. Prime timothy seed 4.10. Short ribs, sides (loose) 8.75 to 9.12 1-2. Mess pork, per bbl. 16.55 to 16.60. Lard, per 100 lbs. 9.57 1-2. Short clear sides (boxed) 9.00 to 9.25. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 13.—Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet at 41 1-2c.

Charleston, July 13.—Turpentine steady 38 1-4; sales 25 casks. Rosin steady; sales 486 barrels. Quote: A B C, 2.75; D, 2.95 to 3.05.

Savannah, July 13.—Turpentine firm 38 3-4; sales 1,549; receipts 1,189; shipments 640. Rosin firm; receipts 3,597; shipments 3,618; stock 120,487; sales 2,899. Quote: A B C, 2.85 to 2.95; D, 3.00; E, 3.15; F, 3.30; G, 3.30 to 3.35; H, 3.85 to 3.90; I, 4.10 to 4.15; K, 5.20; M, 5.70; N, 6.20; WG, 6.45; WW, 6.50.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Torr Head, (Br.) 3,868 tons, Bremen, Hamburg, Heide & Co.

Str. Carib, Devereaux, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 13, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—4 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—82 bales cotton, 62 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar.

W. C., & A. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels rosin, 31 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—15 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 13 barrels rosin, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—8 casks spirits turpentine, 38 barrels rosin.

Str. May Flower—7 casks spirits turpentine, 13 barrels rosin.

Str. Lisbon—26 casks spirits turpentine, 90 barrels rosin.

Total—82 bales cotton, 62 casks spirits turpentine, 243 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar, 45 barrels crude turpentine.

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THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICIAL DUTIES

An Article on This Subject Written By William J. Bryan.

HIS IDEA OF THE OFFICE

Wherein the Responsibility of Presidents Are Licensed by Reason of Co-ordinate Nature of the Different Branches.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 13.—William J. Bryan, the Democratic nominee for President, has written an article entitled, "My Conception of the Presidency," for the July 18th issue of Collier's Weekly. Mr. Bryan says:

"The President's power for good or for harm is often over-estimated. Our Government is a Government of checks and balances; power is distributed among different departments, and each official works in co-operation with others. In the making of laws, for instance, the President joins with the Senate and the House; he may recommend, but he is powerless to legislate, except as a majority of the Senate and the House concur with him. The Senate and the House are also independent of each other, each having a veto over the other; and the President has a veto over both, except that the Senate and House can, by a two-thirds vote, override the President's veto. The influence of the President over legislation is, therefore, limited; he shares responsibility with a large number of people's representatives. Even in the enforcement of law he is hedged about by restriction. He acts through an Attorney General (whose appointment must be approved by the Senate) and offenders against the law must be prosecuted in the courts, so that here again the responsibility is divided. In the making of important appointments, too, he must consult the Senate, and is, of necessity, compelled to exercise care and discretion.

"The most important requisite in a President, as in other officials, is that his sympathy shall be with the whole people, rather than with any fraction of the population. He is constantly called upon to act in the capacity of a judge—deciding between the importunities of those who seek favors and the rights and interests of the public. Unless his sympathies are right the few are sure to have an advantage over the many; for the masses have no one to present their claims. They act only at elections and must trust to their representatives to protect them from all their foes.

"Second. The President must have a knowledge of public questions and the ability to discern between the true and the false; he must be able to analyze the conditions to detect the sophistries that are always employed by those who seek unfair advantages.

"He must possess the moral courage to stand against the influences that are brought to bear in favor of special interests. In fact the quality of moral courage is as essential in a public official as either right sympathies or a trained mind.

"A President must have counsellors, and to make wide use of counsellors, he must be open to convictions. The President is committed by his platform to certain policies and the platform is binding; he is also committed to certain principles of government and these he is in duty bound to apply in all matters that come before him; but there is a wide zone in which he must act upon his own judgment, and here he ought to have the aid and intelligent, conscientious and faithful advisers. The law provides these, to a certain extent, in giving him a Cabinet, and the Vice President ought to be made a member of the Cabinet ex-officio in order, first, that the President may have the benefit of his wisdom and knowledge of affairs and, second, that the Vice President may be better prepared to take up the work of the President in case of a vacancy in the Presidential office.

"There ought to be cordial relations also between the President and those who occupy positions of influence in the co-ordinate branches of the Government, for our Government is not a one-man Government, but a Government in which the chosen representatives of the people labor together to give expression to the will of the voters.

"But the Presidency is the highest position in the world and its occupant is an important factor in all National matters. If he is a devout believer in our theory of Government, recognizes the constitutional distribution of powers, trusts thoroughly the people and fully sympathizes with them in their aspirations and hopes, he has an opportunity to do a splendid work; he occupies a vantage ground from which he can exert a wholesome influence in favor of each forward movement.

"The responsibilities of the office are so great that the occupant ought to be relieved of every personal ambition, save the ambition to prove worthy of the confidence of his countryment; for this reason he ought to enter the position without thought or prospect of a second term. While the burdens of such an officer are heavy and while the labors of the office are exacting and exhausting, the field of service is large and, measuring its greatness by service, a President, by consecrating himself to the public weal, can make himself secure in the affections of his fellow citizens while he lives and creates for himself a permanent place in the Nation's history."

The moonlight trip on the Wilmington tonight will be a pleasant one. **

THE CHINESE MUTINEERS.

Captain of the Strathyre Denies Ill-Treatment of the Men.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Norfolk, Va., July 13.—Captain Dunn, of the British steamer Strathyre, arriving in the city today to load a cargo of coal for delivery to the battleship fleet at an Australian port, tonight flatly denied the statement of the Chinese crew attempting to desert in New York in which they charge inhuman treatment, or being underfed.

The commander claims that he shipped the crew at Shanghai, for the trip from the Orient to this country and return. He claims that they were properly treated as common seamen and fed up to the standard. He now thinks that the Chinese signed with him for the purpose of reaching America, expecting to quit the ship here. When frustrated in this attempt they mutinied and tried to leave the ship.

New York, July 13.—From Shanghai to New York on a plodding tramp steamer and probably from this port to Liverpool in one of the swiftest of modern ocean grey hounds, the giant turbiner Lusitania, is the story in brief to date of the 23 Chinese sailors who mutined on the British steamer Strathyre last Saturday. Since the sailors were taken from the Strathyre last Saturday 10 had jumped overboard and two of them drowned. The men, 23 in number, were brought to this city and placed in a police station. There they were kept until today when they were taken to Ellis Island for shipment to Liverpool. Arrangements for the deportation were made today by the agents of the Strathyre with the British Consul and the Department of Labor and Commerce.

The Chinese sailors were technically held on the charge of attempted suicide. One of the prisoners were arraigned on the charge in the Tombs court, but the magistrate decided that he had no jurisdiction. What disposition will be made of the Chinamen upon their arrival in Liverpool has not yet been determined.

OHIO PROHIBITIONISTS.

State Convention in Session—Glenn For Presidential Candidate.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Columbus, O., July 13.—A platform of one plank, confined to the single issue of Prohibition is the object of a move started at the opening session of the State Prohibition convention this afternoon by Temporary Chairman H. L. Peeke, of Sandusky, and the struggle will be carried to the National Prohibition convention on Wednesday.

Mr. Peeke, in an address which consumed more than two hours, assailed the female suffrage, which has come to be regarded as an established tenet of the Prohibition party, declaring that women drink more and men less than they did a decade ago, and that the weakest law regulating the liquor traffic are in the woman suffrage States of Colorado, Idaho, Utah and Wyoming. He assailed the indifference of the churches to the prohibition movement, criticised the Anti-Saloon League, and praised George B. Cox, of Cincinnati for refusing to credit any votes to temperance that were not cast for Prohibition tickets.

Contrary to expectations, it is said today by prominent delegates to the National Prohibition convention that there will not be a bitter fight over indorsement of the Anti-Saloon League by the convention here this week. The sentiment of the men directing affairs in the party is epitomized by Chairman Jones, of Chicago. Some of the anti-saloon men insist that they will bring the question to the attention of the convention.

The National Prohibition convention will convene in Memorial Hall on Wednesday.

The fight for the nomination for President started today in earnest when many of the delegates began coming in. Seaborn Wright, of Georgia, has been prominently mentioned. Some of the Indiana delegates, who want to go outside the party for the nomination, advance the somewhat startling proposition to nominate Governor Hanly, of Indiana, for President. He would be acceptable to the Prohibitionists, although a Republican. Others want to nominate Governor Glenn, of North Carolina.

The National Committee has in its war chest $30,000 and contributions are coming in very fast especially from the South. The largest vote polled by the Prohibitionists was in 1892, when their candidate secured a total vote of 209,469. Chairman Jones estimated today that the vote will pass this high water mark this year, because of the marked increase in prohibition territory especially in the South.

SHOT BY MOTHER-IN-LAW

Dr. James Simpson Mortally Wounded Old Grievance The Cause.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Northport, N. Y., July 13.—Standing within a few feet of the spot where a little more than two years ago, he shot and killed his aged father-in-law, Dr. James Weddell Simpson a dentist of New York, was shot and perhaps mortally wounded today by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Bartlay T. Horner, the woman he made a widow. Dr. Simpson's wife from whom he has been estranged for many months, was near when the shot was fired, but she did not witness the shooting. Upon learning that it was her husband who had been wounded she refused to go near him and Dr. Simpson had to crawl to a house 200 feet away to have his wound attended to. Mrs. Horner was later arrested and held in $5,000 bail while Dr. Simpson with the assistance of two friends made his way to Roosevelt Hospital in New York. The bullet lodged in his liver and immediate operation was performed to take the bullet out. The doctors said tonight that Dr. Simpson has only a small chance of recovering.

Statements from Dr. Simpson and from Mrs. Horner as to the circumstances attending the shooting disagree.

Mrs. Horner does not deny that she did the shooting, but she claims justification.

OLYMPIC GAMES ON IN LONDON

The Splendid Appearance of The American Combatants Attracts Attention.

FIRST DAY'S EXERCISES

American Victors—Unfavorable Weather Interferes With Contests and Reduces Attendance. 21 Nations Represented.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

London, July 13.—Rain interfered badly today with the opening of the fourth international Olympic by the King at the Stadium at Shepherd's Rush, and, although it cleared off before the hour set for the formal ceremony, the attendance fell short of expectations. The seating capacity of the Stadium is upwards of 70,000, and while the covered stands contained sections which were well filled, there were many vacant spaces. In fact if it had not been for the American colonial contingents, which were there to cheer their countrymen, and the sections around the royal box which were occupied by society, it would have been a very small affair so far as attendance was concerned.

In some of the events, too, the contestants appeared affected by the adverse weather conditions, but in other events, particularly the 1,500 metres race, in which the greatest interest centered, the men were up to their form, and twice during the afternoon the record for the distance was smashed. Melvin W. Sheppard of the Irish-American Athletic Club, of New York, was the first to accomplish the trick when in the second heat, pressed hard by his team mate, J. P. Halstead, of the New York Athletic Club, he ran the distance in the splendid time of 4:05, just 2-5 of a second faster than that made by J. D. Lightbody, of the University of Chicago at the Olympic games at St. Louis in 1904. The two Americans in this heat beat a number of good men, including G. Butterfield, the English four mile champion who finished a bad third.

J. P. Sullivan, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, and Lightbody who were first and second respectively in the first heat of this event, took longer to cover the distance, but they were not pressed, and doubtless could have done better if it had been necessary. Meadows, of Canada, set out to make the pace in this event, but Lightbody went to the front in the stretch and seemed a likely winner, until Sullivan, with a fine burst of speed, passed him a few yards from the tape.

The best performance of the day, however, was that of M. F. Hallows an Oxford Blue, who cut a full 2 seconds off the record, much to the surprise of everybody, as Meadows has always been at best at three miles and 14,500 metres was considered too short for him. He is now thought to be the most serious rival of the Americans in the final which will be run tomorrow.

Through their defeat by Sheppard and Sullivan, Halstead and Lightbody failed to qualify.

H. L. Coe, of the University of Michigan, made a strong bid for victory in the fourth heat, but he was unable to keep up with E. V. Loney, of England, although the time was not particularly brilliant. Coe finished second.

As the King entered the royal box a bugler gave a signal, the gates leading to the competitors' quarters flew open and the athletes marched out under the banners of their respective nations. The representatives of the Kingdom looked formidable with their array of 513 men. The nearest approach to this number was France's 219 contestants. Sweden came next with 169 and then Hungary with 154 men. The Americans would have had the next largest army with 148, but Trainer Murphy refused to allow the men to come up for the ceremony. In all 21 countries were represented and among that gathering Turkey was represented with one competitor. The men made a splendid appearance. The Americans were among those who wore street clothes, but even in this attired the size of the men evoked much favorable comment Ralph Rose, of the Polympic Club of San Francisco, and Lee J. Talbott, of the Irish-American Club, and the other giants of the team towering over a majority of those whom they are to meet.

An incident which is causing much talk in sporting circles is the failure of the Olympic committee to have either the American or the Swedish flags displayed in the Stadium. The Americans resented this omission somewhat by bringing out many of their own Stars and Stripes, but Sweden, although Crown Prince Gustave was present, was represented by but the single flag carried by that nation's athletes.

The big events to be contested for tomorrow in which Americans are interested are the hammer-throwing, the final of the 1,500 metres run and the preliminary heats of the three mile run. The Americans have decided to formally protest against the eligibility of Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian runner, but if the committee should decide to allow him to run they will abide by that decision so as not to interfere in any way with the success of the sport.

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GRAND LODGE OF ELKS.

Reunion and Annual Convention Has Spectacular Opening.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Dallas, Texas, July 13.—With the air tempered by last night's storm Dallas' streets today took on the proper aspect of the reunion and the annual convention of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks that began formally tonight.

Throughout the day and evening the streets were lined with marching clubs and brass bands.

This afternoon nearly a thousand persons sat down to a typical Southern dinner in Machinery Hall at the fair grounds given to members of the grand lodge and members of their families. The dinner was typical. The most typical of all were the waitresses. There were some three score of old "Nigger mammies" with banana turbans on their heads.

Tonight in the fair grounds auditorium the first formal function was held. A band of 35 pieces and the "convention chorus" of 125 voices rendered the overture from Wagner's "Tannhauser," and "America' and other selections.

William H. Atwell past exalted ruler of Dallas Lodge, and chairman of the Executive Committee, delivered an address of welcome.

Senator C. A. Culberson of the Dallas Lodge, and Mayor Stephen J. Hana, a member of Dallas Lodge, spoke on behalf of the city, and John H. Kirby, of Houston Lodge, and president of the Texas Association, welcomed for the lodges of the State. Governor Campbell, past exalter ruler of Palestine Lodge No. 873, delivered the address of welcome on the part of the State of Texas, and John Tener, grand exalted ruler of the Charleroi, Pennsylvania lodge, responded on the part of Elkdom.

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WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Members are reminded that the regular monthly inspection in accordance with Order No. 72 will be held tonight. Civil meeting immediately after inspection. Dues payable.

jy 13-1t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Mary C. Williamson, late of Wilmington, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of July, 1909, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

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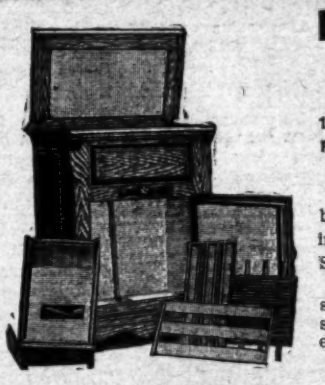

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